hire for plants for some time to come, both in respect of Government Departments and private persons, applying for the services of the Well-Boaring Section and its boring drills.

Resolution.—Recorded.

43. Proposal of the Executive Engineer for the purchase of a six ton Steam Road Roller for Rs. 7,600 out of the savings under District Board Funds for 1927-28.

Resolution.—Sanctioned, the cost being met out of the closing balance of the District Board for 1928-29.

44. Proposed by Mr. C. Subba Rao (that the services of Mr. J. B. Mallaradhya, District Economic Superintendent be, recorded) and seconded by Messrs. Sherkhan Jamannad Khutub-Ulmulk, Nawab of Honnali and Hanumappa of Kundur, District Board Members.

Resolution.—Resolved that the appreciation of the District Board be recorded for the useful and valuable services rendered by Mr. J. B. Mallaradhya during his tenure of office as District Economic Superintendent and Secretary to Economic Conference.

B. T. KESAVAIENGAR,
President,

SHIKARPUR TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

Notice dated 24th July 1928.

The following darft bye-laws framed under section 48 (1) (k) of the Mysore Municipal Regulation VII of 1906, relating to the levy of octroi duty on articles, imported into Shikarpur Town Municipality are hereby published for the information of the public.

Any inhabitant of the municipal area objecting to the proposed bye-laws may within one month from the date of this notice send his objections in writing to the President, Town Municipal Council, Shikarpur.

1. The local limits for collecting octroi duty shall be municipal limits or boundaries.

2. No articles liable to octroi duty shall be brought within those limits except by one of the roads described in Schedule No. I.

3. The Municipal Council will arrange to establish Octroi sub-kattes near the boundary stones described in Schedule No I.

4. All persons bringing into or receiving from beyond the octroi limits of the town, any such articles, shall exhibit the same at the Octroi Sub-katte located at the entrance of the town and obtain an import pass by the octroi subordinate, and then, the pass, thus obtained shall be exhibited at the Octroi head katte with the articles mentioned in the above pass.

5. A table showing the octroi duty leviable on various articles shall be exhibited at the Municipal Office and the Octroi Head Office and at all the subkattes in conspicuous Parts thereof.

6. When the goods are brought to the octroi office they may be unloaded and weighed or counted by the octroi staff. Upon ascertainment of the amount of octroi payable on the goods, the importer shall either pay the amount due and receive a permit for the removal of goods showing the quantity or weight of goods, the amount paid in respect thereof and the date of payment, or deposit the same in the Bonded warehouse. In case the importer wishes to export the goods atonce he shall do so only after obtaining an export pass which he shall handed over to the octroi subordinate at the Octroi Sub-katte situated on the road by which the goods leave the town or subjecting the goods to the escort of an octroi subordinate till the goods leave the municipal limits. Then the octroi subordinate in charge of the sub-katte should endorse on the pass the fact of export of goods mentioned in it, and return the same to the Octroi Head Office.

7. With a view to the appraisement of the value or the quantity of goods at the time of the levy of the octroi, the importer may be called upon to produce the invoice of the goods for the inspection of the officer or Councillor or official incharge of the octroi collection. Should he fail to produce the same the Value or quantity of the goods shall be taken as such, as the aforesaid officer or councillor may deem fit and octroi levied accordingly.

Bonded Warehouse.

8. The Municipal Council shall provide a Bonded warehouse for the custody of goods which may be deposited under Bye-law 6.

9. It shall be open for transaction of business from 7 to 11 A.M., and 2 to 6 P.M., daily except on holidays an authorized by the Presidents. Arrangements shall however be made by the officer incharge of the koti for dealing with perishable articles such as betel leaves, cocoanuts, etc., on such days and also other articles under special circumstances.

10. Any importer depositing goods in the Bonded warehouse shall, unless the octroi koti has previous to weighing, counting or appraising, ascertained the amount of octroi payable thereon, give a declaration in the form appended (Schedule 2).

11. A receipt in the form appended (Schedule No. 3) shall be given by the officer in charge of Octroi Koti for all goods deposited in the Bonded warehouse and a register of all such goods shall be maintained. It is the duty of the depositor to obtain a receipt for articles

posited by him and octroi department is not responsible for any goods left at the premises
d not covered by a receipt.

12. The receipt given by the octroi department for depositing goods should be returned
fore taking delivery of the articles to which it refers.

13. If the depositor does not himself take delivery of the articles deposited in the
nded warehouse, he must endorse on the receipt a request for delivery to the person to
om he wishes to be made and if the receipt is not produced, the delivery of the goods may
the discretion of the officer in charge of the koti be withheld until the person entitled in
opinion to receive the same has given an indemnity bond to the satisfaction of the above
d officer.

14. Any person who has deposited goods in the Bonded warehouse may break bulk or
nge the packing thereof on application to the officer in charge or may on paying full duty
re on import such goods into the Town covered by a permit or may export such goods free.
ered by an export pass as laid down in para 6, provided that new packages covered by
h pass shall if possible, and before they are taken from the warehouse be stamped by the
cer in charge so as to show that they are under bond. For every export pass granted
der this Rule a fee of one anna shall be charged.

15. No goods shall be allowed to leave the Bonded warehouse until storage fees have
n paid there on under the following rules.

(*i*) Goods shall be allowed to remain one week free of charge.

(*ii*) After that period rates as in the following schedule shall be charged for the second week or portion thereof.

(*a*) Cloth bundles	...	... Two annas per bundle per day.
(*b*) Tobacco bundles	...	... One anna per bundle per day.
(*c*) Kerosine oil and petrol tins	...	... Two pies per tin per day.
(*d*) Cocoanuts	...	... Six pies per hundred per day.
(*e*) Other bundles	...	... Six pies per bundle per day.
(*f*) Other oil	...	... One pie per maund per day.
(*g*) Dry cocoanuts	...	... Three pies per maund per day.

(*iii*) Double these rates shall be charged after two weeks, provided that the President or Vice-President may in his discretion allow a reduction in or exemption from such penal rates.

16. All goods remaining uncleared or unclaimed for a longer period than three months
l be sold to the highest bidder in public auction provided that before selling such goods
ce of the fact shall be posted for seven days at the Bonded warehouse and provided that
goods shall be sold earlier when the storage fees are likely to exceed their value.

17. The Municipal Council shall not be responsible for any damage that may be caused
oods deposited in the Bonded warehouse, while such goods are being passed into or out
rehouse or while they remain therein, unless such damage is proved to have been
ed by the wilful neglect of the warehouse keeper or other person charged with the safe
dy of goods.

18. When any goods are sold under bye-law No. 16, the sale proceeds shall be credited to
Municipal Funds in payment of duty and storage fees due in respect thereof provided
if the amount realised by the sale exceeds the amount so due; the balance shall be kept
posit for six months and any claim for such balance received during that time shall be
considered by the President. At the expiry of six months and after all claims received,
been duly disposed of the balance shall be credited to the Municipal Funds. No claim
be admitted after the said period of six months except by the special permission of the
cil.

Refunds.

19. Refunds of octroi duty shall not be granted unless in the case of goods which are
ted within three months of the date of their importation. Refunds shall not be given
sum claimed be less than one rupee.

20. Any person claiming refund under the above rule shall produce the goods to be
ted at the octroi house together with the original receipt for octroi duly paid thereon
n application for refund prepared in duplicate mentioning the circumstances that
itated the exportation of goods and giving such particulars as will be prescribed in this
by the President.

21. The officer in charge of the Bonded warehouse on being satisfied as to the identity
ds produced with those for which receipt has been granted and the validity of the
shall endorse the copies of the application with an export pass and keeping one copy
office shall deliver the other copy to the applicant, and the claim shall be forworded
President or Vice-President for the orders of refund.

General.

22. The Municipal Officers only under the orders of the President or Vice-President
spect the shops at all reasonable hours to see if there are any smuggled goods and the
eeper shall be bound to allow such inspection.

23. Importers of dutiable articles, shall, if called upon by requisition in writing signed by the President or Vice-President within one year of import account for the articles received by them by producing either a permit or receipt obtained in token of payment of octroi duty or an export pass in proof of having exported the whole or part of articles so received or otherwise.

24. Any breach of the above bye-law 23 will render the importer liable to punishment with a fine which may extend to Rs. 50. Any person importing or exporting dutiable articles, who infringes bye-laws 2, 4, 6 and 22 shall be liable for prosecution before a Magistrate under section 161 of the Municipal Regulation and to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100 or ten times the value of octroi duty on such goods whichever may be greater.

Schedule I.—Name of routes.

1. Shimoga-Shikarpur Road, (2) Honnali-Shikarpur Road, (3) Shiralkoppa-Shikarpur Road, (4) Masur-Shikarpur Road, (5) Anantapur-Shikarpur Road.

Schedule II.—(Bye-law No. 10.)

To—The Officer in charge of the Bonded Warehouse, Shikarpur Town Municipality.
Please receive the undermentioned goods and deposit them in the koti.

Name of depositor	Description of articles deposited	Distinguishing marks if any	Weight		Quantity	Value	Remarks
			Maunds	Seers			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

I do hereby certify that I have satisfied myself that the entries as made by me above are correct and that I am fully aware of the provisions of the bye-laws Nos. 11 to 18.

Witness
Signature.....
Address.....

Signature of Depositor.....
Address.....
Date.....

Schedule III.—(Bye-law No. 11.)

Octroi Office-Shikarpur Town Municipality.
Received the deposit of the undermentioned goods from .....

Receipt number	Number.	Date	Goods deposits Note number	Name of articles	Number of articles	Description	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

SHIKARPUR
Date.....

Octroi Manegar.

Table showing the rate of Octroi duty leviable on the following articles.

No.	Name of articles	Per	Rate			Remarks
			Rs.	a.	p.	
1	Betel leaves	100	0	0	1	
2	Green cocoanuts ...	each	0	0	1	
3	Kerosine oil tins ...	Tin	0	1	0	
4	Sheep, goats	Head	0	1	0	
5	Tobacco	Maund	0	8	0	
6	Piece-goods "advoleram"	Rs. 100	2	0	0	

T. R. RUDRARADHYA.